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 INTERNATIONAL CORP., and MATROX TECH, INC.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

RICOH COMPANY, LTD.,

Plaintiff,

vs.

AEROFLEX INCORPORATED, AMI
 SEMICONDUCTOR, INC., MATROX
 ELECTRONIC SYSTEMS LTD., MATROX
 GRAPHICS INC., MATROX
 INTERNATIONAL CORP., MATROX TECH,
 INC., AND AEROFLEX COLORADO
 SPRINGS, INC.

Defendants.

SYNOPSYS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

vs.

RICOH COMPANY, LTD.,

Defendant.

Case No. C03-4669 MJJ (EMC)

Case No. C03-2289 MJJ (EMC)

ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION FOR A
 SEALING ORDER
 (Civil L.R. 79-5(d))

Judge: Hon. Edward M. Chen

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 7-11, Synopsys and the Customer Defendants hereby bring this administrative motion for an order to file under seal the following documents being lodged this day with the Clerk of the Court:

1. Joint Letter to Judge Chen re Continued Deposition of Dr. Kobayashi in Japan, including exhibits 1-16 thereto
2. Joint Letter to Judge Chen re Depositions in Japan, including exhibits 1-16 thereto

The only allegedly confidential information attached to or contained within these documents is information designated as such by Ricoh Company, Ltd. ("Ricoch"). Thus, pursuant to Civil L.R. 79-5(d), Ricoch is to file, within five court days, (i) a declaration establishing that the above information is sealable and (ii) a proposed order.

Dated: March 29, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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